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SIR:

The following amendment remarks are in response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2007, which set a shortened statutory period for response that expires on August 17, 2007.

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